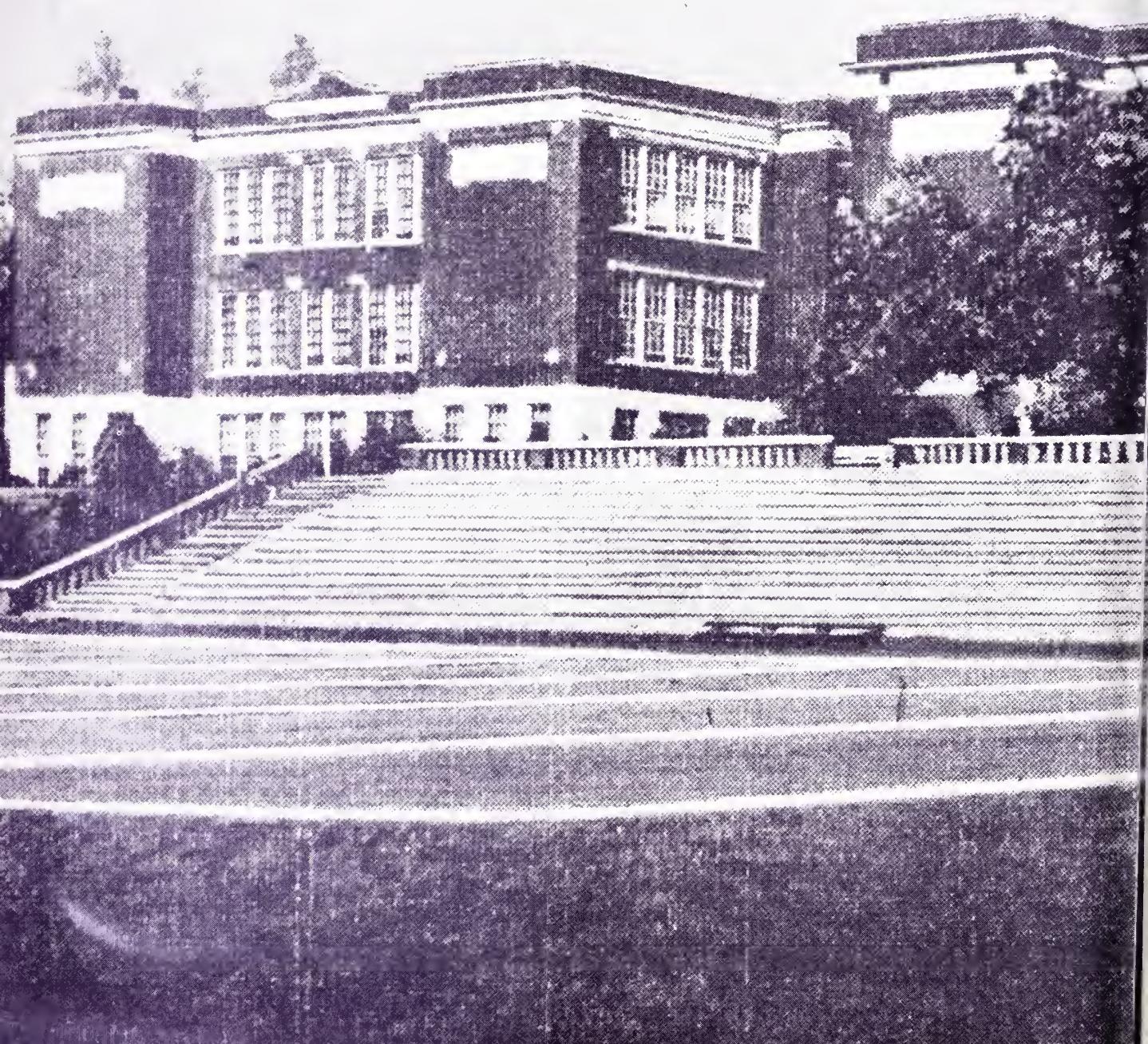




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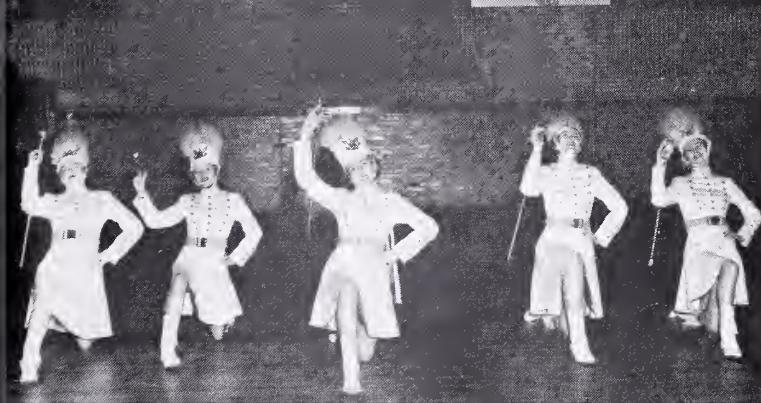
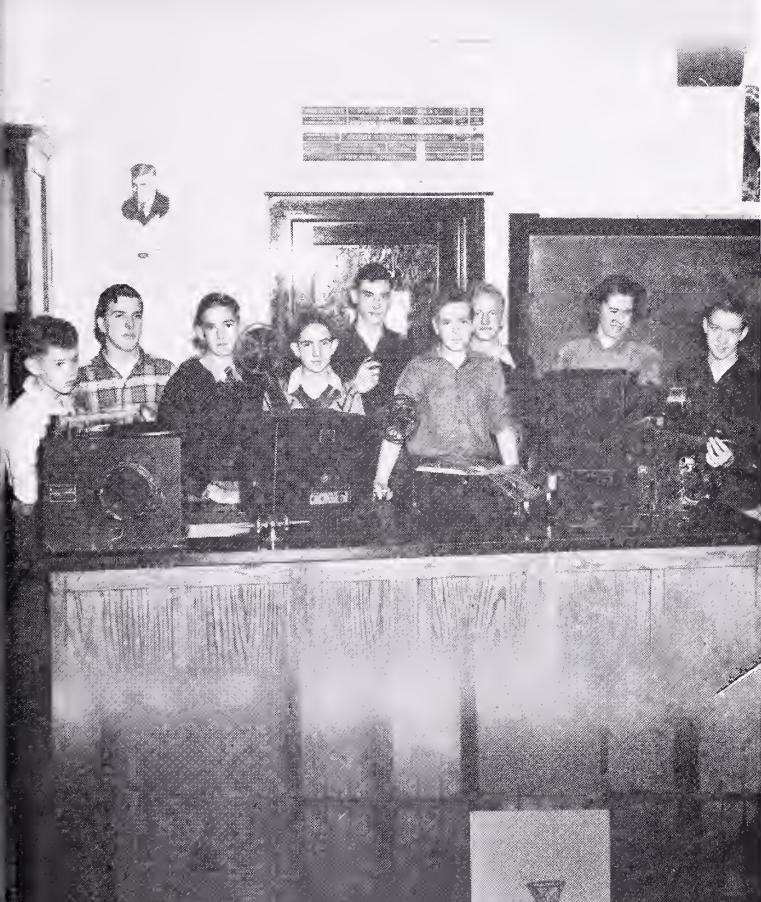
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We, the students of James Monroe High School, dedicate the 1950 Monroe Echo to Mrs. Kate J. Keckler, who has endeared herself to the hearts of each and every one of us who knew her and loved her. For many years she taught us our math and algebra at James Monroe, and we will always appreciate and be thankful for everything she has done for us. By her warm friendliness, her generosity, and her good naturedness Mrs. Keckler will be remembered by all of us as we pass on through life.

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### CLASS COLORS

*Purple and White*

### CLASS FLOWERS

*Gardenias and Violets*

## Senior Class

DONALD HEYWOOD  
ALEXANDER

*"Pig"*

"Can't tell about him."

GENERAL COURSE  
Varsity Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Track, 2, 3; Varsity Club, 2, 3, 4; Key Club, Treasurer, 3, 4.

BETTY LEE BARBOUR

*"Pinky"*

"Incessantly clearing my mind with speech."

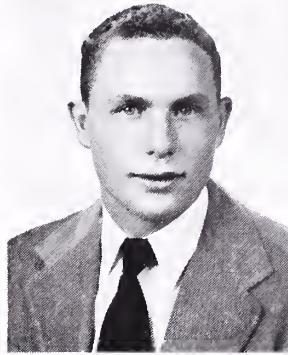
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Home Ec. Club, 1, 2, treasurer, 3, vice-president, 4; Intramural Baseball, 1; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3; Literary Club, 3, 4; Commercial Club, 3, 4; Midget Cheerleader, 3.

JOYCE MAE APPERSON

*"Rosa"*

"Tell me, I'll believe it."

GENERAL COURSE  
Home Ec. Club—Treasurer, 1; Glee Club, 2, 3, 4.

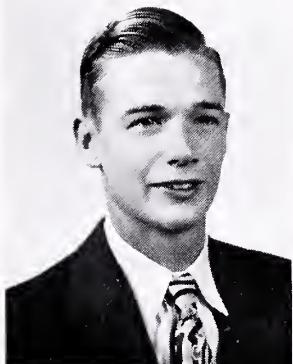


BERYL SILVEY BECK

*"Barrel"*

"Light or dark, short or tall, she sets a trap to snare them all."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
French Club, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, Secretary, 4; Thespian Club, 4; Senior Play, 4; Intramural Basketball, 3.



GEORGE LEONARD BENSON

"Who gain'd no title and who lost no friend."

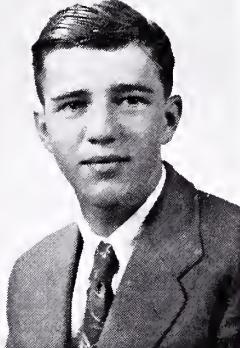
ACADEMIC COURSE  
French Club, 2, 3, 4; Red Cross Council, 2; Latin Club, 4; Student Council, 3; Intramural Basketball, 3; Junior Varsity Football, 3; Varsity Track, 2, 3, 4.

PAULINE ELIZABETH BINNS

*"Polly"*

"He's my one and only."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Band, 1, 2, 3; Jr. Beta Club, 1; Literary Club, 2, 3, 4; French Club, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Glee Club, 4.



MARY ANNA BRICKERT

*"Suzie"*

"Shut up and get out of here."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
French Club, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 3, 4; Monitor System, 3, 4.

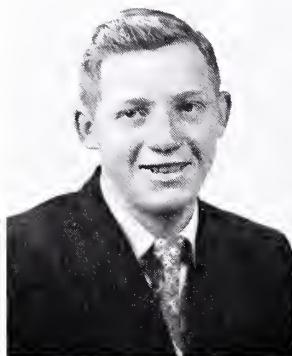
RAY KENNETH BROOKS

*"Bazil"*

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

GENERAL COURSE  
Junior Varsity Football, 3, 4; Track, 3.

## Senior Class

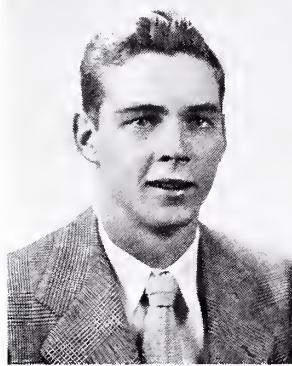


RAYMOND LEE BROWN

*"Red"*

"Naturally—I don't know."

COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Elected delegate to D. E. State Convention, 1950; D. E. Club, 3, 4; Varsity Football, 1.



EDWARD HERMAN CANN, JR.

*"Eddie"*

"I never heard anything so silly in all my life."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Junior Varsity Football, 1; Varsity Football, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Track, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball, 3, 4; Varsity Club, 2, 3, 4; Key Club, 3, 4; Student Council, 4; Thespian Club, 4; Business Manager for Senior Play; Vice President, Junior Class, 3; Boy's State Representative, 3; President, Senior Class, 4.

ANN FRANCES CALLAHAN

*"Annie"*

"Gentleness and good humor compliment one another."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Science Club, 3, 4; President—4; French Club, 3, 4; Literary Club, 4; Monitor, 4.

WILMA ELIZABETH CARNEAL

*"Wilma"*

"Never too sad, never too gay, But a real friend in every way."

COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Band, 1, 2, 3; Jr. Beta Club, 1, 2; Beta Club, 3, Secretary—4; Intramural Basketball, Captain—1, 2, 3; Literary Club, 1, 3, 4; Spotlight Staff, 2, 3, Co-Editor, 4; Glee Club, 2; Dramatic Club, 3, 4; Student Council, 3, 4; Business Education Club, 3, Vice President, 4; Monitor, 4; Thespian Club, 4; Annual Staff, 4; Prompter for Senior Play, 4.

ROBERT WARREN CARVER

*"Donkey"*

"Take your time you've got all day."

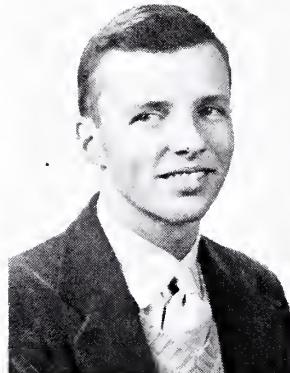
GENERAL COURSE  
D. E. Club 4.

FRANCES MAE CHEWNING

*"Fran"*

"Have you heard the latest?"

COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Literary Club, 1, 2; Band, 1, 2, 3; Junior Beta Club, 1, 2; Chorus, 2; Spotlight, 2, 3, 4; Senior Beta Club, 3, 4; Student Council, 4; Dramatics Club, 3, President—4; Commercial Club, 3, 4.

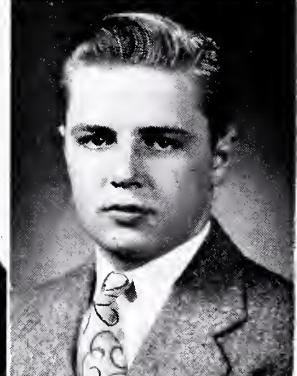


PHILIP HOXIE COLEMAN

*"Phil"*

"I love English, especially with a B.A. degree."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Latin Club, 1, 2; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball Manager, 2; French Club, 3, 4; Treasurer Senior Class; Thespian Club, 4; Key Club, 4; Senior Play, 4.



SHIRLEY ANNE CLARKE

*"Peaches"*

"As busy as a bee."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Intramural Softball, 1; Jr. Beta Club, 1, 2; Junior Red Cross Council, 1, 4; Sporthlight Staff, 2, 3, Co-Editor—4; Latin Club, 2, 3, 4; Science Club, 2, 3, 4; Literary Club, 2, 3; Business Manager, 4; Dramatic Club, 3, 4; Girls Athletic Association, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball, 3, 4; Monitor System, Chairman—4; Annual Staff, 4.

## Senior Class

BEVERLEY MARSHALL  
CROOKS

*"Bunny"*

'Live fast, die young and have a good-looking corpse."

GENERAL COURSE  
Midget Cheerleader, 1, 2;arsity Cheerleader, 3; Home Ec. Club, 1, 2; Parliamentarian, 3, 4; Glee Club, 2, 4; Girls' Small Group, 2; French Club, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Monitor, 4; Senior Play Cast, 4; Thespian Club, 4.

ELLEN GARNETT  
DAVENPORT

*"Tennie"*

"Good things come in small packages."

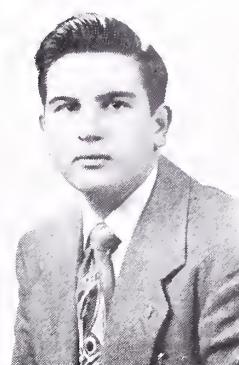
COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Band, 1; Intramural Basketball, 1; Literary Club, 1, 2; Midget Cheerleader, 2; J. V. Cheerleader, 3; Home Ec. Club, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3; Business Education Club, 4; Annual Staff, Library Assistant, 4.

NELSON BERNARD  
CURTIS, JR.

*"Bernie"*

"I've got a mind but it's well hidden."

GENERAL COURSE  
Band, 1, 2, 3; Junior Varsity Football, 3; D. E. Club, 3, 4.

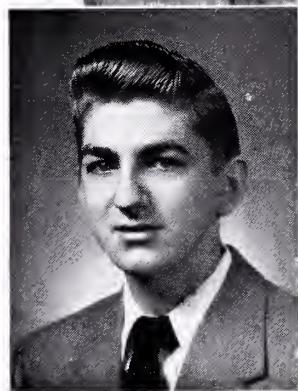
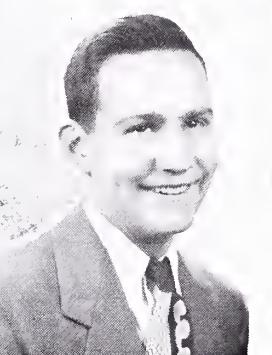


WILLIAM LEO DeBRUYN

*"Cassanova"*

"Lustiness and silence denote the lover."

GENERAL COURSE  
Literary Magazine, 1; Glee Club, 2.



BARBARA LEE DENT

*"Bobbie Lee"*

"Pretty is as pretty does."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Junior Beta Club, Secretary-Treasurer—1, 2; Literary Club, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club, 2, 3, 4; French Club, 3, 4; Senior Beta Club, 3, President—4; Dramatics Club, 3, 4; Monitor System, 3, 4; Senior Play Cast, 4; Thespian Club, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band, 4.

JOYCE LEE DICKINSON

*"Whalie"*

"You know it."

GENERAL COURSE  
Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Literary Club, 2, 3; Dramatics Club, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3, 4.

BASIL CONSTANTINOS  
DOUMAS

*"Billy"*

"He sleeps by day more than the wildcat."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Science Club, 1, 2, Vice President—3, 4; Dramatics Club, 3, Treasurer—4; Student Council, 4; Varsity Track, Manager—3.

KATHRYN GORDON  
FLEMING

*"Kitty"*

"Come on, Muscles, hit that ball!"

GENERAL COURSE  
Band, 1; Library Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Assistant, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4.

## Senior Class



DOROTHY MAE FUGETT

*"Dottie Mae"*

"Quietness indicates the ability to think."

COMMERCIAL COURSE

Junior Beta Club, 1; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3; Intramural Baseball, 1; Vice President of Freshman Class; Literary Club, 2; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club, 4.

ROLAND HAMILTON GALLAHAN

*"Snake"*

"It is as easy to be great as to be small."

GENERAL COURSE

Diversified Occupation, 2, 3, 4.



STUART GALLANT

*"Stu"*

"That T-Formation Man!"

ACADEMIC COURSE

Key Club, 3, 4; Vice President, 4; Varsity Club, 2, 3; French Club, 2; Varsity Football, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball, 2, 3, 4.

MARGARET ANNE GARLAND

*"Maggie"*

"Always ready to lead a helping hand."

COMMERCIAL COURSE

Literary Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Beta Club, 1, 2; Beta Club, 3; Vice President, 4; Glee Club, 2; Home Economics Club, 2; Business Education Club, Secretary—3, President—4; Spotlight Reporter, 3, 4; S.C.A. Secretary, 4; Monroe Echo, Business Manager, 4; Senior Play Cast, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Thespian Club, 4; Monitor, 4.

MARIAN LEE GRAVATT

*"Mickie"*

"You're only young once!"

GENERAL COURSE

Home Ec. Club, 1, 2; Literary Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3, 4; French Club, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball, 2; Junior Red Cross Council, 3; Annual Staff; Publicity Committee for "Melody Jones."

GLENROY MONROE HANEY

*"Jimmie"*

"Smile, smile, smile."

GENERAL COURSE

Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Junior Varsity Basketball, 2; Varsity Basketball, 3, 4; Junior Varsity Football, 2; Varsity Football, 3, 4; Junior Varsity Baseball, 2; Varsity Club, 3, 4; Key Club, 4; Boy's Chorus, 2; Glee Club, 3, 4.



VIRGINIA CARTER HARRISON

*"Ginnie"*

"I never met a man I didn't like."

ACADEMIC COURSE

Science Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 2, 3, 4; French Club, 3, 4; Junior Red Cross Council.

CARLTON BROADDUS HEFLIN

*"Hicky"*

"Quiet? Look again."

ACADEMIC COURSE

Glee Club, 1; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Track, 2; Annual Staff, 4.



## Senior Class

**BARBARA MAE HICKS**

*"Hicks"*

"Eat, drink, and be merry  
for tomorrow I diet."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**

Dramatic Club, 4; G.A.A., 3, 4;  
Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Ec. Club,  
1, 2; Literary Club, 3; Varsity  
Girls Basketball, 2, 3, 4; Intramural  
Basketball, 1; Girls Softball,  
2; Officiated Intramural  
Basketball, 4.

**ELEANOR RAE JONES**

*"Candy"*

"Slow but sure."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Junior Beta Club, 1, 2; Beta Club,  
3, 4; Literary Club, 1, 2,  
3, Secretary—4; Intramural Bas-  
ketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Spotlight Staff,  
2, 3, 4; Latin Club, 2, 3, 4;  
French Club, 3, 4; Dramatic  
Club, 3, 4; Annual Staff, 4; Bus-  
iness Education Club, 4; Science  
Club, 4; Beta Club Talent Con-  
test, 2, 3, 4; Thespian Club, 4;  
American Legion Oratorical Con-  
test, 4.

**MARY FRANCES JENKINS**

*"Cotton"*

"For the love of Pete."

**GENERAL COURSE**

G.A.A., 3, Treasurer—4; Glee  
Club, 3; Intramural Basketball,  
1, 2; Intramural Baseball, 3;  
Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, Co-Cap-  
tain—4.



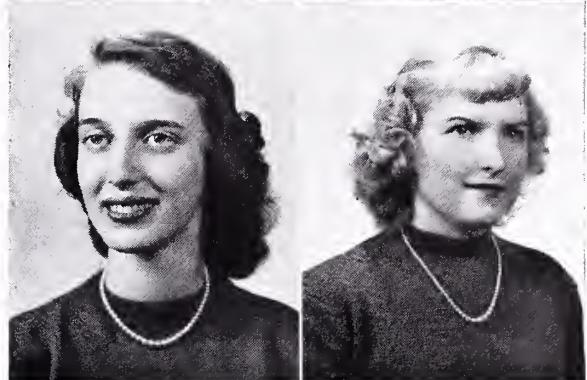
**JUNE MARIE JONES**

*"Blondie"*

"A light heart liveth long."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**

Junior Beta Club, 1; Intramural  
Baseball, 1; Intramural Basket-  
ball, 1, 2, 3, Girl's Small Group,  
1, 2, 3; Literary Club, 2; Bus-  
iness Education Club, 3, 4; Glee  
Club, 1, 2



**TERESA LEE LEWIS**

*"Terry"*

"Drink to me only with  
thine eyes."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**

Glee Club, 1; Dramatics Club,  
1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Beta Club, 1;  
Literary Club, 1; Spotlight, 1,  
2, 3, 4; Commercial Club, 3, 4;  
Senior Play Cast, 4.

**FORREST TAYLOE LINTON**

*"Tay"*

"I have nothing to declare  
except my genius."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Science Club, 1, 2, 3, President—  
4; Key Club, 2, 3, 4; Intramural  
Basketball, 1; Student Council.

**HARRIET VALERIE MAYNARD**

*"Hattie"*

"A light heart liveth long."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Senior Beta Club, 2, 3; Student  
Council, 2, 3, Vice President—  
4; Latin Club, President—4, 1,  
Contest, 3; French Club, 4; Sen-  
ior Play Cast, 4; Annual Staff,  
Assistant Editor—4; Dramatics  
Club, 4; Sophomore Class, Vice  
President—2.

**PATRICIA WAYNE MIDDLETON**

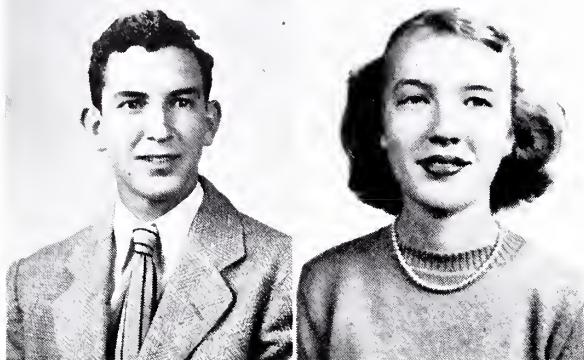
*"Fatty"*

"Drop Dead twice and look like  
me it is a great improvement."

**GENERAL COURSE**

Home Economics Club, Treasurer—  
2, President—3; Student  
Council, 3, 4; Dramatics Club,  
4; Intramural Basketball, 1; In-  
tramural Baseball, 1; Varsity  
Basketball, 2, 3, Co-Captain—4;  
Junior Varsity Cheerleader, Cap-  
tain—2; Varsity Cheerleader, 3;  
Catpaint—4; G.A.A., 3, 4; Home-  
coming Court, 3, 4.

## Senior Class



**EDWIN TRAVIS  
MITCHELL**

*"Eddie"*

**JANE PEMBERTON  
OWENS**

*"Janie"*

"Personality is to a man what perfume is to a flower."

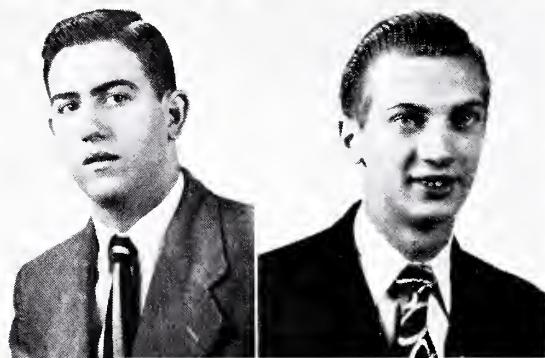
**GENERAL COURSE**

Boys' Chorus, 2, 3; Glee Club, 4; Varsity Club, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Varsity Baseball, 1, 2, 3; Varsity Track, 4; Varsity Basketball, 3; Junior Varsity Baseball, 1.

"Make short the miles with talk and smiles."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**

Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary of the Sophomore Class, 2; Dramatics Club, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3; G.A.A., Vice President, 4; Varsity Cheerleader, 4; Monitor, 4.



**ALLIE LEROY PERRY**

*"Allie Boo"*

**RAYMOND ELMER  
PERRY**

*"Raor"*

"I know of no way of judging the future but by the past."

**GENERAL COURSE**

Glee Club, 4; Varsity Club, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Varsity Baseball, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Basketball, 3, 4; Varsity Football, 4.

**GENERAL COURSE**

Glee Club, 3, 4; Boy's Chorus, 2; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Junior Varsity Football, 2, 3; Junior Varsity Basketball, 2, 3; Varsity Football, 4; Varsity Basketball, 4; Varsity Track, 4.

**JOAN MARIE PERSHING**  
*"Puddin"*

"The true standard of quality is seated in the mind—what mind?"

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

State Latin Contest Representative, 1, 2; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Beta Club, 1, President—2; Jr. Red Cross Representative, 1; Latin Club, Secretary, 2, 3, 4; Literary Club, 2, 3, Asst. Editor—4; Senior Beta Club, 3, Secretary—4; Science Club, 3, 4; Monitor, 3; School Science Contest, 3; Chairman of Junior-Senior Prom Invitations, 3; Usher for Senior Commencement, 3; Glee Club, 4; Public Relations Chairman of S.C.A., 4; Business Education Club, 4; Dramatic Club, 4; Senior Play Cast, 4; Annual Staff, 4; Thespian Club, 4.

**RUBY LOIS PIPKIN**

*"Pip"*

"A smile can go a long way."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**

Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3; Home Economics Club, 3, 4; Bowling League, 4; G.A.A., 4.

**MARALEE PETERS**

*"Marlee"*

"Action speak louder than words."

**GENERAL COURSE**

Distributive Education Club, 3; Glee Club, 4.



**MARGARET DORIS  
PITTS**

*"Tony Angelo"*

"Your wit makes others witty."

**GENERAL COURSE**

J. V. Cheerleader, 1; Varsity Cheerleader, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1; Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A., 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club—Girl's Small Group, 2; Dramatic Club, 3.



## Senior Class

CURTIS FRANKLIN  
POWELL

*"Barney"*

"Oh, you bodacious creature  
you!"

**GENERAL COURSE**  
Key Club, 3, 4; President, 4;  
Library Club, 3—President; Varsity  
Club, 2, 3; French Club, 4;  
Dramatic Club, 3; Band, 1, 2;  
Varsity Football, 2, 3, 4; Varsity  
Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-  
Captain, 3, 4; Varsity Baseball,  
2, 3, 4; Track, 3; Lions Club  
Award for Basketball, 3, 4; Stu-  
dent Council, 4; Winner of G. W.  
Dollar Throwing Contest, 4.

ELEANOR WHITMORE  
PRITCHETT

*"Tody"*

"My heart is fixed I think."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**  
Literary Club, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic  
Club, 3, 4; French Club, 3, 4;  
Glee Club, 4; Intramural Bas-  
ketball, 1, 2, 3, 4.



EDITH PATRICIA  
PRITCHETT

*"Cookie"*

"Love that man."

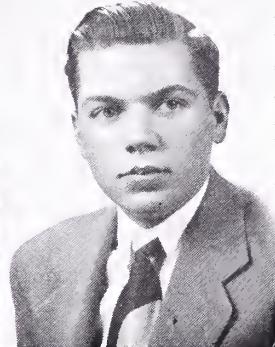
**GENERAL COURSE**  
Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3;  
Intramural Softball, 1; Glee  
Club, 1; Home Economics Club,  
2; Dramatics Club, 3, 4.

KENNETH HOLLOWAY  
PUGH

*"Pudge"*

"Laughter becomes one so  
jolly as I."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**  
Jr. Beta Club, 2; Beta Club, 3,  
4; Key Club, 3, 4; French Club,  
3, 4.



ROSILAND THOMAS  
REED

*"Tom"*

"Hiya' good looking—  
what'cha been doing?"

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Literary Club, 1, Editor—2, Asst.  
Editor—3; Business Manager—  
4; Midget Football, 1; Science  
Club, 1, 2, 3, Treasurer—4; Sec-  
retary-Treasurer, Sophomore  
Class; French Club, 2, 3, 4; Intra-  
mural Basketball, 2, 3; Treas-  
urer of the Junior Class; Drama-  
tic Club, 3, 4; Spotlight, 3, 4;  
Monitor, 3, 4; S.C.A., President,  
4; Senior Play Cast, 4; Annual  
Staff, 4; P.T.S.A.—Student Body  
Representative, 4; Thespian Club,  
4; Cheerleader, 4.

THOMAS McKAY  
SCHULER, JR.

*"Spuler"*

"And when a lady's in the case,  
all other things give place."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Varsity Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; J. V.  
Baseball, 1; Track, 2, 3, 4; Pres-  
ident of the Junior Class, 3;  
French Club, 3, 4; Senior An-  
nual Editor, 4; Varsity Club, 1,  
2, 3, 4; Business Manager of the  
Senior Play, 4.

JOYCE ANN ROBINSON

*"Joy"*

"A merry heart goeth a  
long way."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**  
Home Ec. Club, 1, 2, President,  
3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2,  
Baseball, 1, 2, Varsity; G.A.A.,  
3, 4; Varsity Basketball, 3; Stu-  
dent Council, 4.

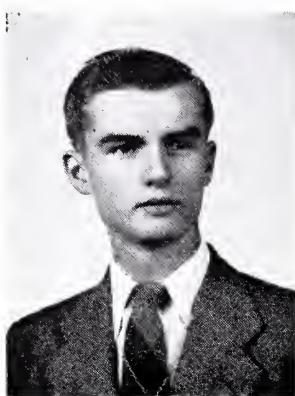
PEGGY MARIE  
SHELKETT

*"Peg"*

"She is carefree happy and gay."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**  
Band, 1, 2, 3; Literary Club, 1,  
2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 2, 3, 4.

## Senior Class



MARVIN PRATT  
SHELTON

*"Wolf"*

"In spring a young man's fancy  
likely turns to thoughts of love."

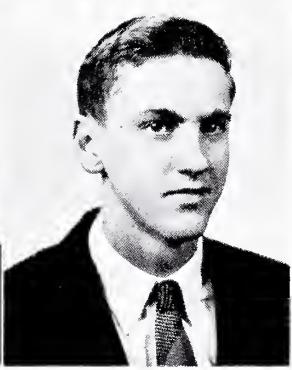
COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Intramural Basketball, 2; Junior Red Cross Council, 3; Assistant Chairman—4; Manager Varsity Baseball, 3, 4; Business Education Club, 3, 4; Senior Play, 4; Annual Staff, 4.

HAYDEN JUDSON  
SILVER, JR.

*"Jay"*

"Calmness is not always the attribute of innocence."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Junior Beta Club, 1, 2; Senior Beta Club, 3, Treasurer—4; Latin Club, Vice-President, 2; Secretary-Treasurer, 3, 4; Key Club, 3, Treasurer—4; "Monroe Echo" Editor.



PHYLLIS BLONDELL  
SMITH

*"Phyl"*

"Here is a dear, true, industrious friend."

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Intramural Basketball, 1; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club, 2, 3, 4; Junior Beta Club, 1; Dramatics Club, 3, 4; Science Club, 4; Junior Red Cross Council, 4; Glee Club, 4.

KENNETH GERALD  
SNELLINGS

*"Ken"*

"A modest man who says but little."

COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Commercial Club, 3; Business Education Club, Treasurer, 4, 5; D. E. Club, Treasurer, 5; Junior Varsity Basketball, 1; Varsity Basketball, 2, 3, 4, 5; Junior Varsity Football, 1; Band, 1.

NANCY IRENE STONE  
*"Winkie"*

"Talk and learn"

COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Glee Club, 2; Home Ec. Club, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club, 3, 4; Beta Club, 4.

JOAN FRANCES  
SULLIVAN

*"Tubby"*

"Anything to eat in here?"

GENERAL COURSE  
Midget Cheerleader, 1; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club, 1, 2, 3; Literary Club, 1, 2; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club, 3, 4; Glee Club, 4; Girls Athletic Association, 4.

DORA LEE TOOMBS  
*"Dody"*

"Me thinks her saucy eyes do  
dance with mirth."

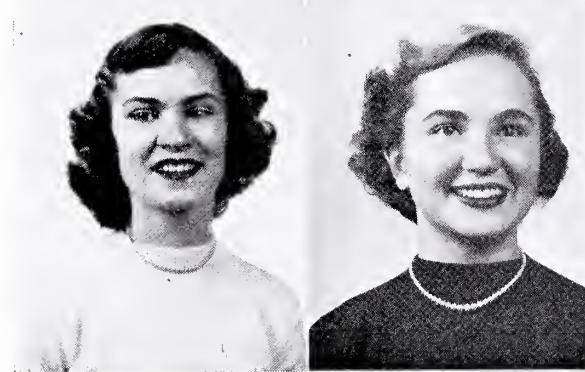
COMMERCIAL COURSE  
Midget Cheerleader, 1; J. V. Cheerleader, 2; Varsity Cheerleader, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Intramural Softball, 2; Spotlight, 2; Dramatic Club, 3; Glee Club, 3; Varsity Basketball, 3; G. A. A., 3, Secretary—4; Bowling Club, 4.

ELIZABETH JANE  
THOMPSON

*"Beet"*

"Better late than never"

ACADEMIC COURSE  
Midget Cheerleader, 1; J. V. Cheerleader, 2; Varsity Cheerleader, 3, 4; Jr. Beta Club, 1, 2; Literary Club, 1; Intramural Basketball, 1; Latin Club, 2, 3, 4; French Club, 3, 4; G. A. A., Secretary—3, President—4; Student Chairman of Junior Red Cross Council, 4; Beta Club, 4; Student Council, 4; Co-chairman of Pastry Sales, 4; Annual Staff, 4; Dramatic Club, Vice-President—4.



## Senior Class

**SHIRLEY JEAN WARD**

*"Jeanie"*

"A little humor now and then is relished by the best of men."

**GENERAL COURSE**

Intramural Softball, 1, 2; Intramural Basketball, 2, 3, 4; French Club, 3; Literary Club, 4; Dramatics Club, President—4.

**MARILYN JANE WEAVER**

*"Susie"*

"Any mail?"

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Junior Beta Club, 1, Secretary, 2; Beta Club, 4; Band, 3; Glee Club, 3; Secretary of the Junior Class, 3; Science Club, 3, Secretary, 4; Literary Club, 3, Editor, 4; Spotlight, 4; Student Council, 4; Co-chairman of panty sales, 4; Monitor, 4; Contestant in Westinghouse Science Talent Search, 4.



**CHARLES WILLIAM WHITTAKER**

*"Torch"*

"Whit care I if I can rest, kill time, and take life at its best?"

**GENERAL COURSE**

Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 3, 4; Glee Club, 4.

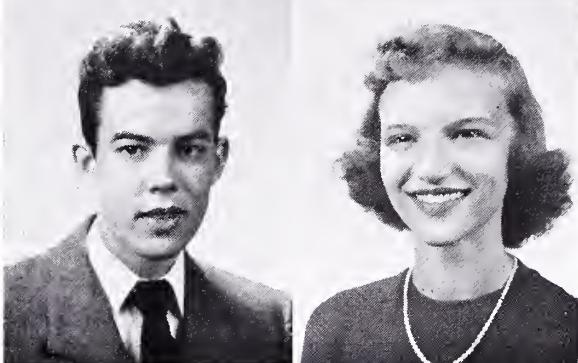
**PATRICIA ANN WILHOUR**

*"Pat"*

"A smile for all, a greeting glad, a lovable, jolly way she had."

**COMMERCIAL COURSE**

Midget Cheerleader, 1; J. V. Cheerleader, 2; Varsity Cheerleader, 3, 4; Glee Club, 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Literary Club, 2, 3; Dramatic Club, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Baseball, 2; G. A. A., 3, 4; Varsity Basketball Manager, 3, 4; Commercial Club, 3, 4.



**JERE MALCOLM HARRIS WILLIS, JR.**

*"Mac"*

"Better a witty fool than a foolish wit."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Latin Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Beta Club, 1, 2; Beta Club, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1, 2; Baseball Manager, 2; French Club, 3; Track, 3; Key Club, 3, 4; Science Club, 4; Senior Play Cast, 4.

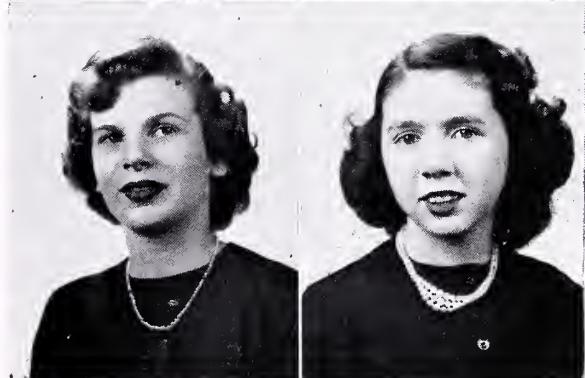
**BARBARA JEAN WRIGHT**

*"Shrimp"*

"Dynamite comes in small packages."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Literary Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball, 1.



**NANCY LEE WRIGHT**

*"Nance"*

"Temechee, temechee, tomachee, tomo."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Intramural Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Softball, 1; French Club, 2, 3, 4; Science Club, 4; Dramatics Club, 4; Literary Club, 4.

**JOAN FRANCES YOUNG**

*"Bashful"*

"Good nature and good sense must ever join."

**ACADEMIC COURSE**

Science Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club, 3, 4; Literary Club, 4; Dramatics Club, 4.

# SENIOR PERSONALITIES

*Most Cheerful*

TOMMY REED  
SHIRLEY CLARKE



*Most Intelligent*

HARRIET MAYNARD  
HAYDEN SILVER



*Most Likely To Succeed*

HAYDEN SILVER  
HARRIET MAYNARD



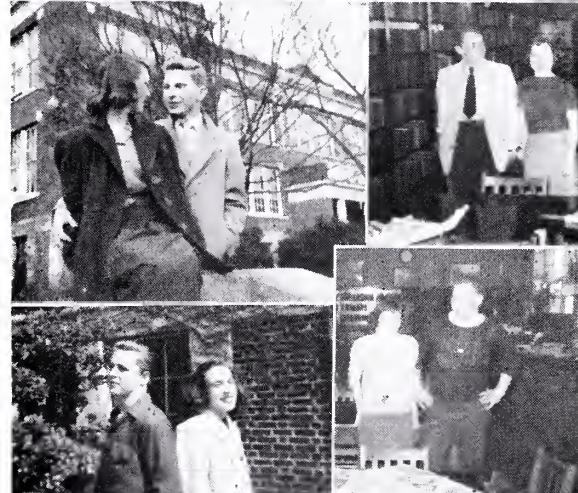
*Most Popular*

TOMMY REED  
BERYL BECK



*Most Romantic*

JERRY LEONARD  
BEVERLEY CROOKS



*Most Sophisticated*

PHILIP COLEMAN  
BERYL BECK



*Most Talented*

JOHN WRIGHT  
TERRY LEWIS

*Most Versatile*

TOMMY REED  
HARRIET MAYNARD

*Most Witty*

JOHN WRIGHT  
MARGARET PITTS

*Best Dressed*

BERT O'TOOLE  
BETTY JANE THOMPSON

*Best Looking*

ED CANN  
BERYL BECK

*Best Personality*

TOMMY REED  
BETTY JANE THOMPSON

*Best Athlete*

DONNIE ALEXANDER  
PAT MIDDLETON

*Best Dancer*

TOM SCHULER  
BETTY LOU BERRY



### HONOR STUDENTS

*First row, left to right:* Ann Callahan, Betty Jane Thompson, Harriet Maynard, Shirley Clarke.

*Second row:* Nancy Stone, Eleanor Rae Jones, Marilyn Weaver, Wilma Carneal.

*Third row:* Betty Lee Barbour, Bobbie Lee Dent, Frances Chewning, Joan Pershing.

*Fourth row:* Myrtle Madison, Margaret Garland.

*Fifth row:* Marvin Shelton, Mac Willis, Hayden Silver, Philip Coleman, George Benson.

*Absent:* John Wright and Glenroy Haney.



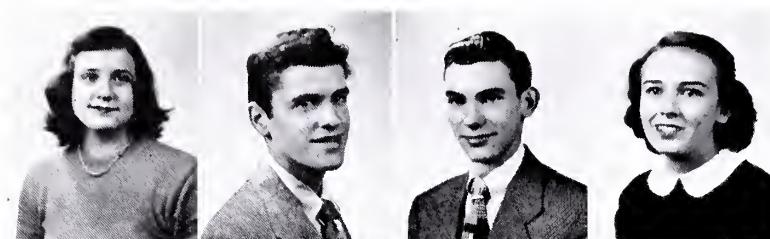
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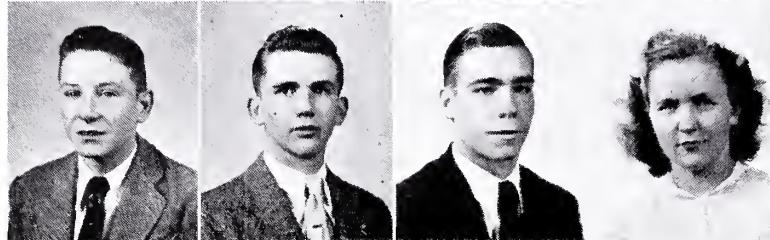


GLASSES

# JUNIORS



DELORES ANDREWS  
GARLAND ATKINS  
ALBERT BARNES  
ANNE BRADBURY



DAVID BROWN  
ROGER BULLEY  
HARRY FLEMING  
BETTY LOU HANSHAW



HAZEL HARPER  
JAMES HEDGE  
ROBERT HILDRUP  
EDMUND JOHNSON



RICHARD KEITH  
BARBARA KENDALL  
JACQUELINE KENDALL  
SIDNEY LOVING



MYRTLE MADISON  
WILLIAM MIDDLETON  
AMELIA PERRY  
BETTY LOU PERRY



WILLIAM POYCK  
FERN SAUNDERS  
WILLIAM SHELTON  
GEORGE SHEPHERD



EVELYN SMITH  
MARY ALICE SPARKS  
WALTER STANLEY  
PEGGY SULLIVAN



ANN TAYLOR  
JACQUELINE TRIGGER  
ELAINE WATERS  
CHARLES YOUNG



## **SOPHOMORE CLASS**

*First row, left to right:* Perry Holcomb, George Yeager, Charles Dowling, Taylor Turner, James Cullinan, Buddy Sweeney, Johnny Surles, Donald Snellings, John Hall.

*Second row:* Mary Stott, Pauline Colthurst, Ruth English, Audrey Fines, Joyce Quann, Debra Hollibaugh, Arden Carter, Bill Schrier, Gerald Hart.

*Third row:* Alice Toombs, Barbara Limbrick, Peggy Limberick, Ruth Yanow, Beulah Armstrong, Catherine Shelton, Pat Snellings, Jeanette Carter, Sue Straughan.

*Fourth row:* Gloria Toepfer, Anne Shelton, Isabel Searles, Shirley Reynolds, Rozella Armstrong, Ann Stephens, Bobby Goolrick, George Calmos, Wirt Shelton.

*Fifth row:* Miss Emeline Stearns, Sponsor: Peggy Pitts, Joyce Fines, Norma Mitchell, Pat Smith, Shirley Greene, Milton Sale, Nancy Brown, Franklin Monteith, Lois Whittaker, Carroll Wimmer, Miss Betty Sue Westbrook, Sponsor, Donald Pasi.



## FRESHMAN CLASS

*First row, left to right:* Audrey Kennedy, Charlotte Toombs, Ronnie Smith, Frank Wheeler, Margie Rothschild, Betty McGinnis, Eva Potvin, Angie Larson.

*Second row:* Mildred Poates, Margie Lancaster, Molly Limbrick, Mary Anne Perry, Elsie Brown, Doris Gardner, Patsy Young, Frances Myers, Sarah Ann Nance.

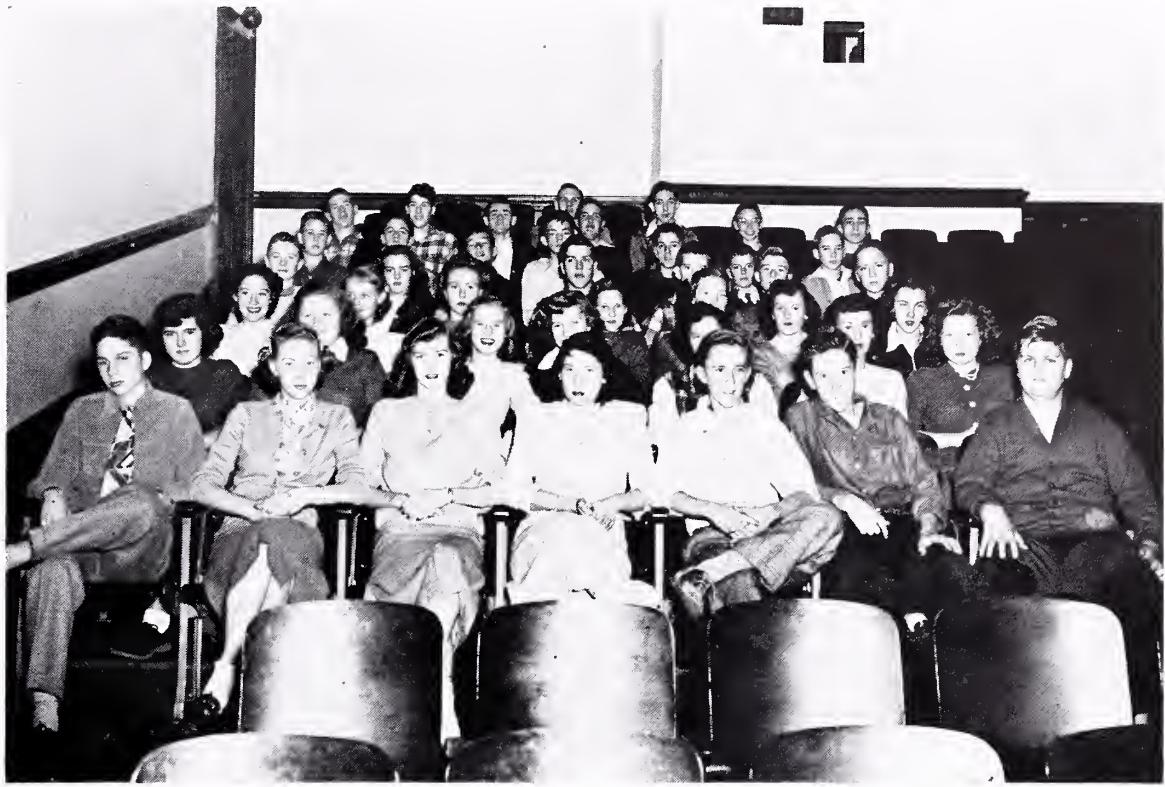
*Third row:* Arlene Barbour, Jackie Dempsey, Helen Pandekakas, Peggy Ward, Beverley Graves, Shirley Greene, Mary Agnes White, Pete Tansill.

*Fourth row:* Gilbert James, David Limbrick, Spiro Pandekakas, James Carter, Rowe, Jack Pritchett, Nickie Johnson, John Davenport.

*Fifth row:* Billy Wilkinson, Kenneth Parcell, John Britton, Crit Sullivan, Jimmy Jones, Sandra Maynard, Alma Rowe, Elaine Hirsch.

*Sixth row:* Tuck Lewis, Ann Bryant, Joanne Insley, Margaret Castle, Anne Wilson, Annie Ruth Hamilton, Patsy Jennings.

*Seventh row:* Mrs. Lucibel Shull, Mrs. Wilma Hester, Miss Martha Ann Upshur.



## **FRESHMAN CLASS**

*First row, left to right:* John Willis, Shirley Burton, Evelyn Carter, Shirley Chewning, Jack Apperson, Ronnie Aydlotte, Wilson Embrey.

*Second row:* Vera Boutchard, Shirley Jenkins, Joan Spindle, Jackie Jennings, Garnett Payne, Mary Lou Musselman, Marjorie Garnett.

*Third row:* Barbara Anderson, India Linstrom, Peggy Garrett, Nancy Hart, Doris Jennings, Bertha Whitticar, Betty Ann Snellings.

*Fourth row:* Russel Samuels, Christine Powell, Ray Shelton, Dennis Morris, Billy Hall, Tommy Higgins.

*Fifth row:* Joel Brown, Larry Farmer, John Goolrick, Billy Bullock, Bruce Snellings, Dickie Ware, Bobby Payne.

*Sixth row:* William Whitby, Clarence Mitchell, Paul Johnson, Lloyd Sullivan, Hamilton Scott, Van Hall, Bobby Pyle.

*Seventh row:* Mr. B. B. Lineberry.



## EIGHTH GRADE

*First row, left to right:* Kenneth Sullivan, Donald Estes, Kenneth Harding, Buddy Curtis, Benny Wigginton, Barbara Hall, Helen Perry, Kitty Hearn, Shirley Oliver, Mrs. Emma O. Euliss.

*Second row:* Ann Pettite, Joyce Russell, Lewis Baker, Billy Moran, Buck O'Brien, Richard Cloe, Charles Leonard, Charlotte Walker, Theo Massey, Miss Mary Mason.

*Third row:* Barbara Gouldman, Susan Hallburg, Jane Black, Betsy Castle, Leavelle Billingsley, Barbara Meredith, Patsy Perry, Shirley Tate, Mrs. Angie Miller.

*Fourth row:* Billy Abrams, Carl Pritchett, John Calamos, Jerome Sale, Scott English, Raymond Jones, Jack Wilhour, Mitty Cowan, Danny Russler, Miss Mildred Laysley.

*Fifth row:* Ronald Melgrum, Katherne Parker, Patricia McGhee, Barbara Rogers, Carol Kesel, Nancy Wilkerson, Bobby McCoy, Bobby Self, Donald Dodd.

*Sixth row:* Jimmy Lakey, Earl Greene, Jesse Shelton, Lynn Franklin Carroll, Markam, Allan Ellis, Donald Cooper, Patricia Wiskosky, Robert Spitler.

*Seventh row:* Floyd Carver, Bill Cornell, Larry Davenport, Gilly Gravett, Kathleen Barbour, Phyllis Limberick, Augusta Mann, Jo Ann Howel, Larry Snyder.

*Eighth row:* Douglas Pulliam, Eugene Norman, Bobby Damron, Charles Kendall, Bobby Taylor.



A C T I V I T E S

**OPEN**



*Commercial*



*Industrial Arts*



*Science*

# **H O U S E**

## *Classroom*



## *Cafeteria*



## *Home Economics*





## SENIOR PLAY

DECEMBER 9, 1949

### ***“Melody Jones”***

*Top Picture, left to right:* Wilma Carneal, John Wright, Margaret Garland, Bobbie Lee Dent, Philip Coleman, John Pershing, Charles Hearn, Beverly Crooks, Edwin Mitchell, Terry Lewis, Glenroy Haney, Billy Doumas, Tommy Reed, Beryl Beck, Mac Willis, Marvin Shelton, Harriet Maynard.

*Left Picture, left to right:* Harriet Maynard, Charles Hearn, Marvin Shelton, Beverley Crooks, Mac Willis.

*Right Picture, left to right:* Mac Willis, Beryl Beck, Beverley Crooks, Terry Lewis.

*Dress Rehearsal*



*"Melody" Returns*



*Mrs. Chick's Party*



## ***HO*MECOMING DANCE**

### ***Queen, King, and Court***

*Left to right:* Bobby June Anderson, Betty Jane Thompson, Joyce Apperson, Harry Franklin, India Linstrom, (Queen), Charles Hearn, (King), Pat Middleton, Jane Owens, Pat Wilhour.



## ***S. C. A. DANCE***

*Thirty-Six*



# *Clubs and Organizations*



## **STUDENT COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION**

*Left to right:* John Britton, Joan Pershing, Sammy Green, Margaret Castle, Frances Chewning, Wilma Carneal, Mr. Dahlgren, Sponsor; Billy Dumas, Harriet Maynard, Vice-President; Tommy Reed, President; Margaret Garland, Secretary; Charles Hearn, Treasurer; Mrs. Chick, Sponsor; Perry Holcomb, Barbara Hall, Vera Boutchard, Sandra Maynard, Charlotte Walker, Marilyn Weaver, Bobbie Dent, Betty Jane Thompson.

Through the Student Cooperative Association the students of James Monroe High are becoming better acquainted with the opportunities and duties of self-government.

The membership in this organization is limited to no one; every student is a member. Their governing body, the Student Council, is made up of the club Presidents, Homeroom representatives, chairmen of council committees, and the Executive Council—President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Much progress has been made during the past year towards better cooperation among the students, faculty, school, and community.



## THESPIAN CLUB

James Monroe students who show interest and ability in drama and public speaking are further assisted in their talent as they acquire membership in the National Dramatic Society, the Thespian Club.

The local high school chapter was organized several years ago. Seventeen new members were added this year to the high school roll of this club. The requirements for membership are based on a point system.

For those who are planning to enter college drama and public speaking, the membership in the Thespian Society is very beneficial.

*Front row, left to right:* Bobbie Dent, Wilma Carneal, Margaret Garland, Secretary, Beryl Beck, Vice-President; John Wright, President, Harriet Maynard, Terry Lewis, Tommy Reed, Beverly Crooks, Joan Pershing.

*Second row:* Philip Coleman, Billy Doumas, Mac Willis, Tom Schuler, Marvin Shelton, Ed Cann, Mr. Dahlgren, Sponsor; Mrs. Chick, Sponsor.

*Absent:* Charles Hearn.



## KEY CLUB

*Left to right:* Franklin Powell, President; Stuart Gallant, Vice-President; John Wright, Treasurer; Hayden Silver, Secretary (Absent); Mr. Evans, Sponsor; Mac Willis, Glenroy Haney, Kenneth Pugh, Tommy Reed, Philip Coleman, Mr. T. R. Uffelman, visiting Kiwanian; Rev. P. A. Roberts, visiting Kiwanian; Richard Keith, Tayloe Linton, Billy Doumas, Donnie Alexander, Ed Cann, Roger Bulley.

Sponsored by the local Kiwanis Club, the James Monroe Key Club helps to mould the future citizens of Fredericksburg.

The Key Club, its membership based on character, achievement, and leadership, assists the outstanding young men of the school in being better leaders, students, and members of society.

## SENIOR BETA CLUB

"Ducamus alliis serviendo" (Let us lead by serving others), is the motto of the National and also the local Beta Club. A non-secret, achievement-service organization for students of State-accredited high schools, this club promotes the ideals of honest, service, and leadership among the students in the Junior and Senior classes.

The J. M. Beta Club holds as its standards for membership, not only a high scholastic average—90, but also a student's character, achievement, and attitude.

If any financial assistance is needed a Beta Club member can always rely on the National Scholarship Fund.

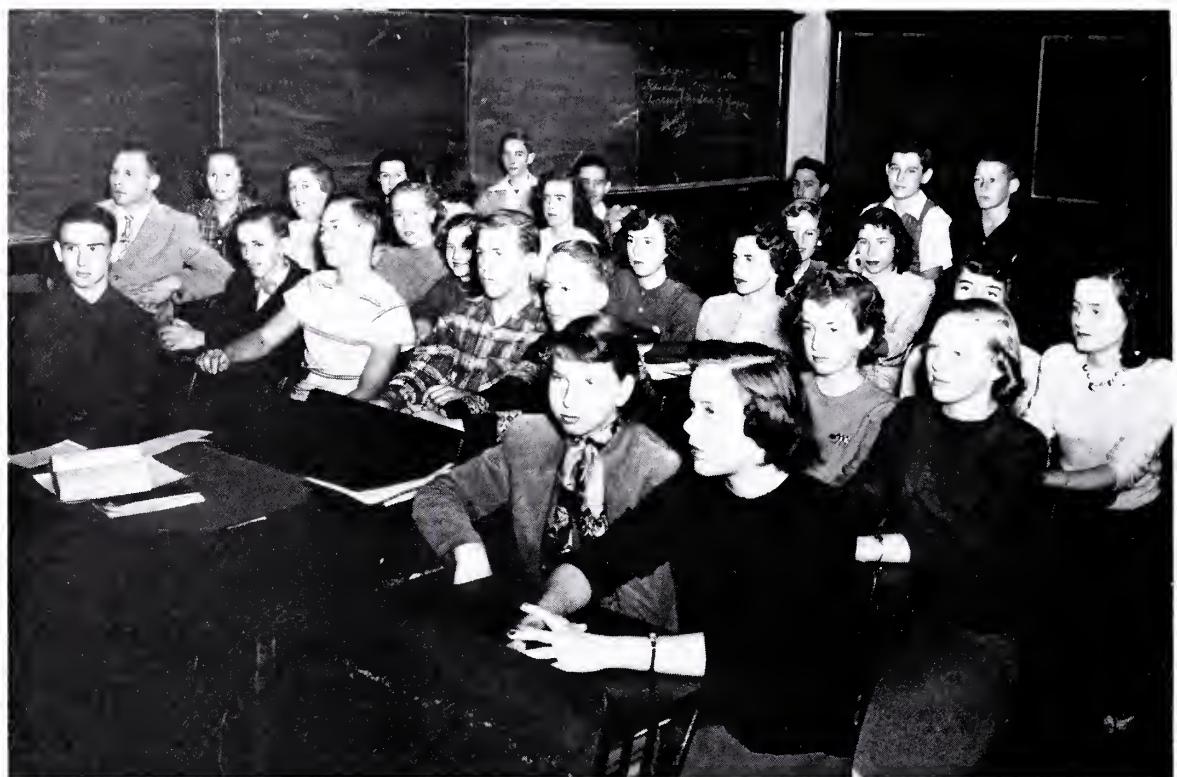
*At Desk:* Bobby Lee Dent, President.

*First row, left to right:* Joan Pershing, John Wright, Kenneth Pugh, Hayden Silver, Treasurer.

*Second row:* Harriet Maynard, Marilyn Weaver, Wilma Carneal, Secretary; Margaret Garland, Vice-President; Mr. Evans, Sponsor.

*Third row:* Nancy Stone, Frances Chewning, Eleanor Rae Jones, Betty Thompson, Mac Willis, Richard Keith.





## JUNIOR BETA CLUB

*First row, left to right:* Perry Holcomb, President; Debra Hollibaugh, Sue Straughan.

*Second row:* Mr. Lineberry, Sponsor, Jack Apperson, James Rowe, Ray Shelton, Tommy Higgins, Tucky Lewis, Frances Myers.

*Third row:* Sandra Maynard, Margaret Castle, Peggy Garret, Nancy Hart, Grace Robbins, Ruth English, Elaine Hirsh, Ann Wilson, Secretary.

*Fourth row:* Joanne Insley, Ann Bryant, Gloria Toepfer, Patsy Jennings, Alma Rowe, Shirley Chewning.

*Fifth row:* Bobby Payne, Vice-President, Bobby Pyle, George Calamos, Billy Wilkenson, Bobby Goolrick.

*Absent:* Emily Morrison, Treasurer.

To promote scholarship, leadership, and honesty among the Freshmen and Sophomores, the Jr. Beta Club was organized by the Sr. Beta Club in 1945. Although the work of the junior club is not dependent upon the Sr. Beta Club, this club does uphold the same principals. Through the work of the Jr. Beta Club, the members are better prepared to enter the Sr. Beta Club.



## **"THE SPOTLIGHT"**

### ***Staff***

*First row, left to right:* Margaret Garland, Terry Lewis, Tommy Reed, Wilma Carneal, Co-Editor; Mr. Neill, Sponsor; Shirley Clarke, Co-Editor; Peggy Sullivan, Frances Chewning, Eleanor Rae Jones.

*Second row:* Perry Holcomb, Emily Grace Morrison, Peggy Pitts, Debra Hollibaugh, Alma Rowe, Sidney Loving, Marilyn Weaver, Margaret Castle, Richard Keith, Joanne Insley, Tucky Lewis, Ann Wilson, Shirley Chewning, Bobby Goolrick.

The Spotlight is the James Monroe High School paper that is edited by the student Staff members and published each week in the Free Lance-Star. The paper serves as a means of offering constructive criticism of affairs affecting the school life, as well as letting the community know what is happening at James Monroe High.



### ***Typist***

*First row, left to right:* Eleanor Rae Jones, Sidney Loving, Joyce Dickenson.  
*Second row:* Myrtle Madison, Peggy Sullivan, Jean Trigger.

*Third row:* Bernice Brown, Dot Scarce, Jackie Trigger, Miss Upshur.



## LITERARY CLUB

*First row, left to right:* Marian Gravatt, Wilma Carneal, Marilyn Weaver, Editor; Joan Pershing, Assistant Editor; Tommy Reed, Co-Business Manager; Eleanor Rae Jones, Secretary; Barbara Wright, Bobbie Lee Dent, Margaret Garland.

*Second row:* Tucky Lewis, Ann Callahan, Mr. Dahlgren, Sponsor; Margaret Castle, Nancy Wright, Eleanor Pritchett, Joan Young.

*Absent:* Shirley Clarke, Co-Business Manager.

Organized to encourage the literary ability of James Monroe students, the Literary Club provides the material for the school literary magazine, the "LIT." The Literary Club is proud of this publication, usually issued annually, which has received credible acknowledgement from the State society.

Whether a writer be a Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, or Senior, this club gives a wonderful opportunity to J. M. students to have their literary works actually published.

## **INDUSTRIAL ARTS NEWS**

The Industrial Arts News, the only paper of its kind in the State of Virginia, was established in February, 1944. It is published on the first day of every month during the school year by the Printing Department of the shop. All the mechanical processes, except the typesetting by Linotype at the Free Lance-Star, are done by the Jayem students.

This publication is "an honest effort to present all aspects of journalistic work; to learn the editorial and mechanical make-up of newspaper, as well as to inform everyone of the happenings in the shops of the Fredericksburg City Schools."

*First row, left to right:* Charles Whitticar, Mr. Schwartz, Instructor; Perry Holcomb, Editor; Robert Smith, Harry Fleming.

*Second row:* Donald Snellings, John Searles, Gerald Tally, Leroy Perry, Garland Atkins.





## LATIN CLUB

*First row, left to right:* Anne Bradbury, Sue Straughan.

*Second row:* Alma Rowe, Treasurer; Elaine Waters, Secretary; Harriet Maynard, President; Bill Poyck, Vice-President; Bobby Goolrick.

*Third row:* George Yeager, John Willis, Van Hall, Jack Bolling, Perry Holcomb, Gerald Hart.

*Fourth row:* Jack Apperson, George Calamos, Elaine Hirsh, Sandra Maynard, Margaret Castle, Joanne Insley.

*Fifth row:* Bobby Payne, Tucky Lewis, Ann Bryant, Bobby Pyle, Dickie Ware.

*Sixth row:* Delores Russle, Patsy Jennings.

*Standing:* Ann Wilson, Mrs. Chick, Sponsor; Betty Jane Thompson, Joan Pershing, Eleanor Rae Jones, George Benson, Shirley Clarke, Bobbie Dent, Phylis Smith, Hayden Silver, Mac Willis, John Wright, Emily Morrison.

The shades of ancient Rome linger in the halls of J. M. when we find the Latin Club convening every month. Being that the majority of its members are engaged in their regular Latin Class at the fourth period, this is one of the school clubs that meets during school hours. It is interesting to see how this so-called "dead language" is revived by the club members, as they participate in Latin jig-saw puzzles, the study of Roman history, and various Latin translations.

The Latin Club is composed of, not only first and second year Latin students, but also the "honorary members"—those pupils who have completed their two years of the "language that never dies."

## FRENCH CLUB

The French language, customs, life, and people are the topics that we would hear discussed at the meetings of the French club. To become a member of this club, it is required that the student be taking either his first or second year of French, or he may have completed two years. This is one of the oldest organizations in the school.

*First row, left to right:* Eleanor Rae Jones, Nancy Wright, Pauline Binns, Beryl Beck, Marian Gravatt.

*Second row:* Peggy Pitts, Eleanor Pritchett, Barbara Wright, Bobbie Lee Dent.

*Third row:* Debra Hollibaugh, Joyce Quann, Ruth English, Grace Robbins, Jimmy Cullinan, John Hall.

*Fourth row:* Elaine Waters, President; Harriet Maynard, Virginia Harrison, Maryanna Brickert, Joan Young, Ann Callahan, Kenneth Pugh, Franklin Powell.

*Standing:* Roger Bulley, Pauline Colthrust, Betty Jane Thompson, Charles Hearn, Richard Keith, Philip Coleman, Tommy Reed, Mr. Dahlgren, Sponsor; Mac Willis, Secretary-Treasurer.

*Absent:* John Wright, Vice-President.



Forty-Seven



## **SENIOR SCIENCE CLUB**

*First row, left to right:* Bobby Goolrick, Phyliess Smith, Joan Young, Mac Willis, Tayloe Linton, President; Marilyn Weaver, Secretary; Virginia Harrison, Ann Callahan, Treasurer.

*Second row:* Miss Mildred Lapsley, Sponsor; Gerald Hart, Perry Holcomb, Vice-President; Billy Doumas, John Wright, Nancy Wright, Tommy Reed.

*Absent:* Shirley Clarke, Joan Pershing.

Here at James Monroe the realms of science are more clearly viewed through the work of the Senior Science Club.

Organized at James Monroe in September, 1945, the Science Club has helped to increase the interest, knowledge, and appreciation of science among the J. M. students. Any high school student, who has taken, or is taking the second year of any science, is welcomed into the Science Club, providing he has ability and interest in science.

## JUNIOR SCIENCE CLUB

In November of the year 1948, the Junior Science Club was organized. Boys and girls in the eighth grade who have had, or are taking science, are eligible for membership.

This club has several aims and purposes, which are: to increase the knowledge of science, to learn to protect the skills in science, to understand the importance of science in everyday life, and to increase the interest of science in the school and community.

The members of the Junior Science Club are usually accepted for entrance into the Sr. Science Club when they become Freshmen.

*First row, left to right:* Van Hall, Treasurer; Tommy Higgans, Vice-President; Margaret Castle, President; Ann Bryant, Secretary; Joanne Insley.

*Second row:* Shirley Chewning, Pat Young, Dickie Ware, Hamilton Scott, Elaine Hirsh, Ann Wilson, Bobby Pyle, Bobby Payne, Ronnie Adylotte, Sandra Maynard.

*Fourth row:* Miss Lapsley, Sponsor; Spiro Pandekakas, James Rowe, Wilson Embrey, John Britton, Billy Wilkinson, Ray Shelton, Tucky Lewis, Sarah Anne Nance, Frances Myers.

*Absent:* Beverly Graves.





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*First row, left to right:* Mrs Miller, Sponsor; Ruth English, Jean Trigger,  
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Ann Stephens, Ruth Yanow.

*Second row:* Joyce Quann, Aubrey Fines, Charlotte Tombs, Ellen Davenport,  
Pauline Colthurst.

*Third row:* Arlene Barbour, Jacqueline Dempsey, Peggy Limerick, Joyce Fines,  
Nancy Stone, Betty Anne Snellings, Jackie Trigger.

*Absent:* Joyce Robinson, President.

Yes, the homemakers of tomorrow are being trained today at James Monroe under the leadership of Mrs. Miller, the high school home ec. teacher and F. H. A. club sponsor.

The girls in this club are introduced to the opportunities which courses it home economics offer. Further purposes of this club are to encourage them to continue their education in this field after graduating from high school, to develop leadership and create a desire for participation in our democratic society, and to promote recreation in the home, school and community.

## JUNIOR FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

To the young girls taking home economics in the 7th and 8th grades, has been given the opportunity to enjoy the benefits of a club similar to the Sr. F. H. A. These girls are trained to be capable, intelligent homemakers for the future. Through the leadership of their home economics teacher and club sponsor, Miss Mason, these girls are better prepared to become the members of the Sr. F. H. A.

*First row, left to right:* Shirley Perry, Angie Ventura.

*Second row:* Miss Mason, Sponsor; Nancy Wilkinson, Carol Kesel, Secretary; Barbara Merideth, President; Nancy Prasse, Vice President; Catherine Garland, Jane Black, Jackie Lewis.

*Third row:* Charlotte Walker, Phyliss Limbrick, Janette Baker, Norma Skinner, Theo Massy, Susan Halberg, Grace Eubank, Kathleen Barbour, Janet Gallant, Pat McGhee, Norma Young, Pat Wickoski, Patsy Perry.

*Fourth row:* Joan Harper, Catherine Parker, Barbara Brooks, Shirley Jenkins, Shirley Oliver, Helen Perry, Augusta Mann, Joan Rickerson, Joan Harrel, Shirley Tate.





## DRAMATIC ART CLUB

*First row, left to right:* Frances Chewning, President; Betty Jane Thompson, Vice-President; Beryl Beck, Secretary; Billy Doumas, Treasurer.

*Second row:* Dorothy Scarce, Catherine Shelton, Mary Agnes White, Pat Snellings, Sue Straughan, Joan Sullivan, Joyce Dickenson.

*Third row:* Bobbie Lee Dent, Harriet Maynard, Joan Pershing, Maryanna Brickert, Joan Young, Virginia Harrison, Beverly Crooks.

*Fourth row:* Barbara Wright, Eleanor Pritchett, Nancy Wright, Ann Callahan, Tommy Reed, Terry Lewis, Pat Wilhour.

*Fifth row:* John Wright, Barbara Hicks, Eleanor Rae Jones, Phyliss Smith, Tucky Lewis, Pauline Binns, Peggy Shelkett.

*Sixth row:* Peggy Pitts, Wilma Carneal, Margaret Garland, Charles Hearn, Mac Willis, Philip Coleman, Eva Potvin.

*Seventh row:* Joanne Insley, Mary Stott, Debra Hollibaugh, Joyce Quann, Kitty Fleming, Pat Pritchett, India Linstrom.

*Eighth row:* Garland Atkins, Pat Middleton, Charles Whitticar, Mrs. Chick, Sponsor; Mr. Dahlgren, Sponsor.

To encourage and promote the dramatic activities of James Monroe High School, this year's Dramatic Club received into its membership all the students interested in drama or public speaking. This means that more underclassmen will have an opportunity to participate in the activities sponsored by the club. It is the purpose of the club to interest more young people in the work of the theater and the stage.

## BUSINESS EDUCATION CLUB

The Business Education Club, organized to promote interest in the business field, limits its membership to those who show particular skill and interest in the commercial subjects. All the members have taken, or are taking two or more business subjects.

This club enables the young people entering the commercial field to gain skill, confidence, and an understanding of the modern commercial world.

*First row, left to right:* Jean Trigger, Secretary; Margaret Garland, President; Sidney Loving, Vice-President.

*Second row:* Joyce Fines, Wilma Carneal, June Jones, Ellen Davenport, Peggy Sullivan, Frances Chewning, Miss Upshur, Sponsor; Pat Wilhour.

*Third row:* Jackie Trigger, Marvin Shelton, Nancy Stone, Joan Pershing, Eleanor Rae Jones, Mrs. Hester, Sponsor.





## **DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION CLUB**

*Left to right:* Raymond Brown, Robert Henderson, David Brown, Betty Lou Perry, Gerald Tally, Broudas Tate, Warren Carver, President; Jackie Kendall, Vice-President; Ruby Hume, Secretary; Kenneth Snellings, Treasurer; Mary Anne Reynolds, Bernard Curtis, Amelia Perry, James Hedge, Thomas Heflin, Miss Spangler, Sponsor.

The Distributor's Club is made up of sixteen distributive education students. Its purposes are to provide the students with a broader viewpoint on the problems of the field of distribution and to relate each student's job to the solution of these problems for the betterment of community life; to provide enjoyable activities for club members; to become active members of the Distributor's Club of America and to help carry out its purposes; and to develop an understanding of their employers and their employers' problems so that the students can develop a business-like attitude to contribute to their respective organizations.

## **DIVERSIFIED OCCUPATION CLUB**

Students working in a local business concern a half of their school day, are given instruction in the Diversified Occupation class each day. These students are the members of the Diversified Occupation Club.

Through this organization more publicity is placed on the Diversified Occupation program. The members are assisted in developing stability, self-confidence, a friendly personality, and a cooperative spirit in personal, social, and business associations.

*First row, left to right:* Carl Newton, Donald Tavenner, George Jones, Willard Latham, Mack Sebastian, Vice-President; Laumann Schooler, President; Myrtle Madison, Secretary-Treasurer; Preston Newton, George Krollman.

*Second row:* Randolph Quann, Harry Fleming, George Shepherd, James Beverly, Joseph Sullivan, Bobby Brent, Graham Monroe, William Barber, Fred Holley.

*Third row:* James Mooney, Earl Kendall, Walter Stanley, Clinton Payne, Cathage Prince, Sydney Monroe, Charles Judd, Roland Gallahan, Mr. Bruce Neill, Coordinator.



*Fifty-Five*



## JUNIOR RED CROSS COUNCIL

*First row, left to right:* Ronald Dodd, Phyliss Smith, Peggy Pitts, Marvin Shelton, Miss Stearns, Sponsor; Betty Jane Thompson, Leader; Kathleen Barbour, Anne Bradbury, Annie Ruth Hamilton, Marjorie Lancaster, Christine Powell.

*Standing:* Glenroy Haney, John Britton.

The organization in James Monroe High School that helps to "care for the world," is the Jr. Red Cross, led by their own J. R. C. Council. The work of this organization is a continuing duty—all through the school year. When the annual drive for Red Cross funds is on, our school usually has 100 per cent membership! It is evident that the students of James Monroe do think of others, and are willing to give when the need arises. This spirit is spurred on by the Junior Red Cross Council.

## GLEE CLUB

"There's music in the air" as the Glee Club meets each day for music appreciation study and general choral work.

The Glee Club furnishes choral music for assemblies and various civic affairs. The club tries to enlighten the field of music, not only for its members, but also for the school and general public.

*Director: Mr. Szypula*

*Accompanist: Miss Miles*

*First row, left to right:* Beverly Crooks, Isabel Searls, Vivian Beasley, Garland Atkins, Kenneth Pugh, Bert O'Toole.

*Second row:* Joan Sullivan, Joyce Dickenson, Beulah Armstrong, Helen Pandekakas, Joan Pershing, Beryl Beck, Shirley Green, Jimmy Estes, Donald Sullivan, Ray Perry.

*Third row:* Joyce Apperson, Maryanna Brickert, Pauline Binns, Phyllis Smith, Charles Whitticar, Charles Hearn, Glenroy Hayney, Ed Mitchell.





## JAMES MONROE HIGH SCHOOL BAND

### BAND MEMBERS

*Director: Mr. Charles Smereski*

*First row, front to back:* Jack Wilhour, Betty Ann Nolan, Arlene Barbour, Barbara Meredith, Tommy Higgans, Lloyd Sullivan.

*Second row:* Arden Carter, Jim Wilhour, Nancy Hart, Shirley Jenkins, Jackie Jenkins, Jackie Dempsey, Pat Smith, Kenneth Parcell.

*Third row:* Sue Freeman, Elaine Hirsh, Betsy Castle, Bobby Pyle, Margaret Castle, Augusta Mann.

*Fourth row:* Percy Poates, Annie Haybern, Dulcie Houston, Catherine Parker, Joanne Insley, Bobby Payne, Phyllis Smith.

The colorful dress of orange and black lets the crowd know the J. M. Band is on the field. This group of junior high and senior high school students perform not only at football games, but also for the school assemblies and various community celebrations.

The purpose of the band is to encourage musical ability, to build music appreciation, and to create better citizenship among its members.



## **Drum Majorettes**

*Left to right:* Mildred Poates, Barbara Wright, Peggy Garret, Bobbie Dent, Evelyn Carter.



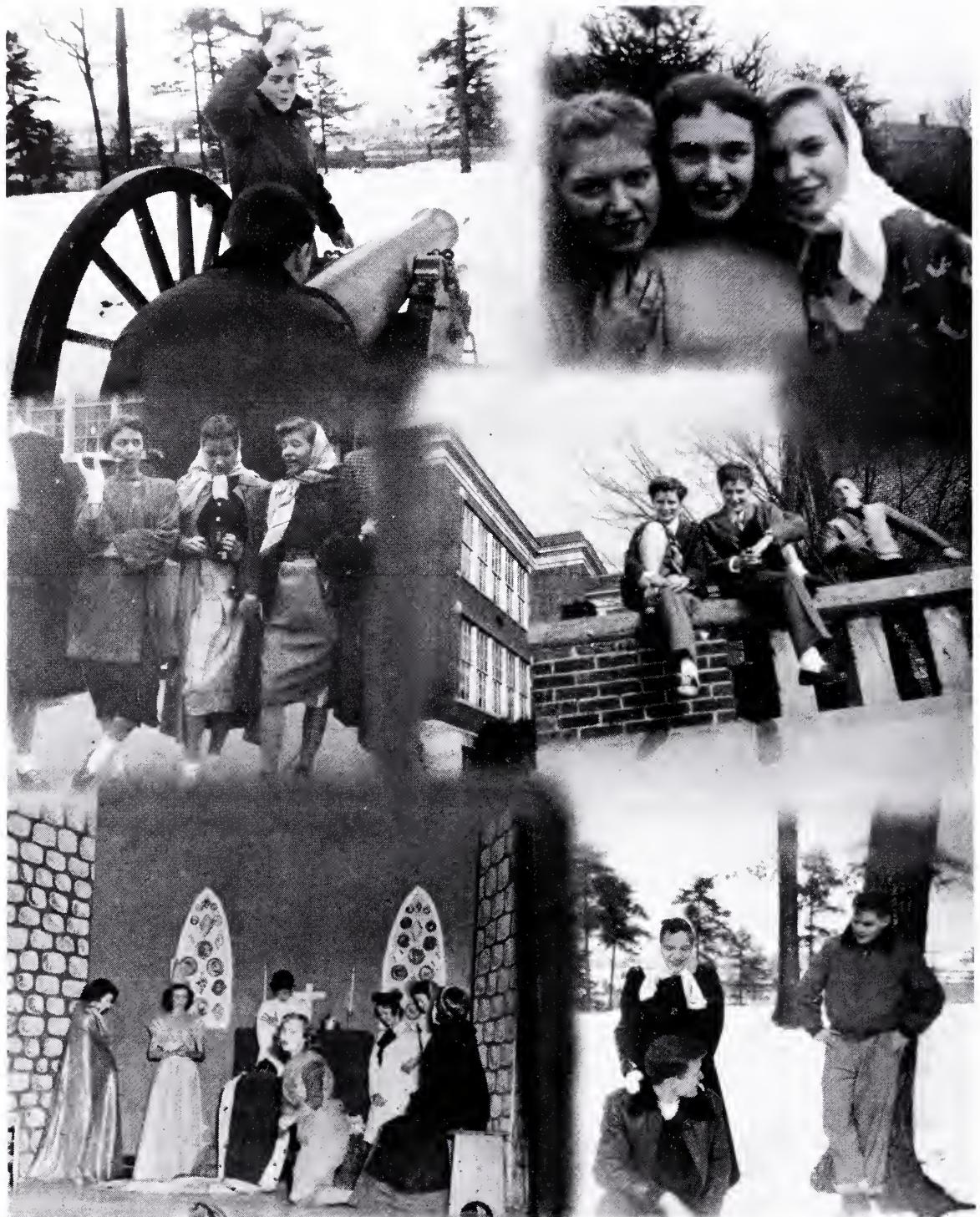
## **GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION**

These girls have become members of the G. A. A. as they acquired the necessary 1000 points by participating in athletic events. Most of them have served on the athletic teams for girls.

The members of this club strive to promote better sportsmanship and wholesome recreation for their school and their city.

*First row, left to right:* Mary Frances Jenkins, Treasurer; Dora Tombs, Secretary; Jane Owens, Vice President; Betty Jane Thompson, President.

*Second row:* Sidney Loving, Peggy Sullivan, Sue Straughan, Pat Middleton, Bobbie June Anderson, Mrs. Trainum, Sponsor; Betty Lee Barbour, Pat Wilhour, Margaret Pitts, Barbara Hicks.



1—"Fire!"—General Cann

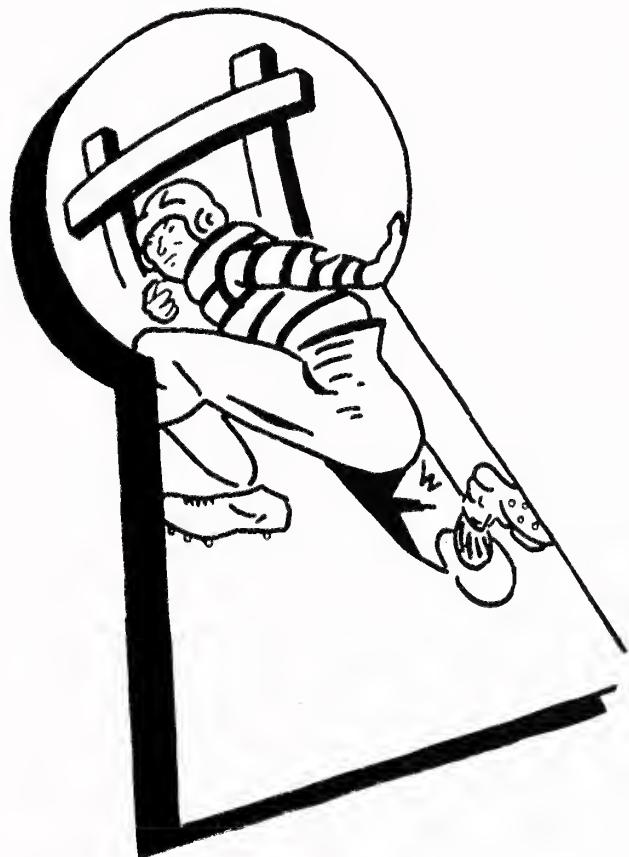
3—Best Foot Forward

5—Serene Seniors

2—Three Chums—Wilma, Beet, and Joan

4—Disguise—Eleanor and Pauline

6—Winter Wonderland for Jack, Pat and Eddie



ATHLETICS

# V A R S I T Y

## *1949-1950 Basketball Scores*

J. M.	-----	61	Quantico	-----	22
J. M.	-----	41	Alumni	-----	40
J. M.	-----	30	Manchester	-----	31
J. M.	-----	44	Lane	-----	48
J. M.	-----	35	Manassas	-----	33
J. M.	-----	36	Glen Allen	-----	32
J. M.	-----	67	Ashland	-----	39
J. M.	-----	64	Culpeper	-----	37
J. M.	-----	43	Quantico	-----	26
J. M.	-----	61	Spotsylvania	-----	21
J. M.	-----	37	Falmouth	-----	31
J. M.	-----	62	Spotsylvania	-----	32
J. M.	-----	57	Culpeper	-----	48
J. M.	-----	48	Glen Allen	-----	45
J. M.	-----	46	Ashland	-----	28
J. M.	-----	35	Varina	-----	34
J. M.	-----	55	Manassas	-----	30
J. M.	-----	35	Manchester	-----	34
J. M.	-----	39	Varina	-----	33
J. M.	-----	21	Falmouth	-----	47

## *1949 Baseball Season*

J. M.	-----	11	Falls Church	-----	1
J. M.	-----	2	Benedictine	-----	3
J. M.	-----	5	Glen Allen	-----	4
J. M.	-----	3	Spotsylvania	-----	7
J. M.	-----	2	Falmouth	-----	6
J. M.	-----	5	Culpeper	-----	7
J. M.	-----	13	Highland Springs	-----	10
J. M.	-----	17	Falls Church	-----	7
J. M.	-----	9	Benedictine	-----	13
J. M.	-----	10	Highland Springs	-----	1
J. M.	-----	14	Manassas	-----	4
J. M.	-----	3	Spotsylvania	-----	5
J. M.	-----	2	Glen Allen	-----	13
J. M.	-----	6	Mount Vernon	-----	5
J. M.	-----	4	Falmouth	-----	14

## J U N I O R V A R S I T Y

## *1949 Football Scores*

J. M.	-----	6	Occoquan	-----	6
J. M.	-----	0	Caroline	-----	14
J. M.	-----	0	St. Johns	-----	19
J. M.	-----	20	Culpeper	-----	0
J. M.	-----	8	Caroline	-----	14

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## VARSITY FOOTBALL

*First row, left to right:* Louis Baker, Billy Doumas, Jack Bolling, Managers.

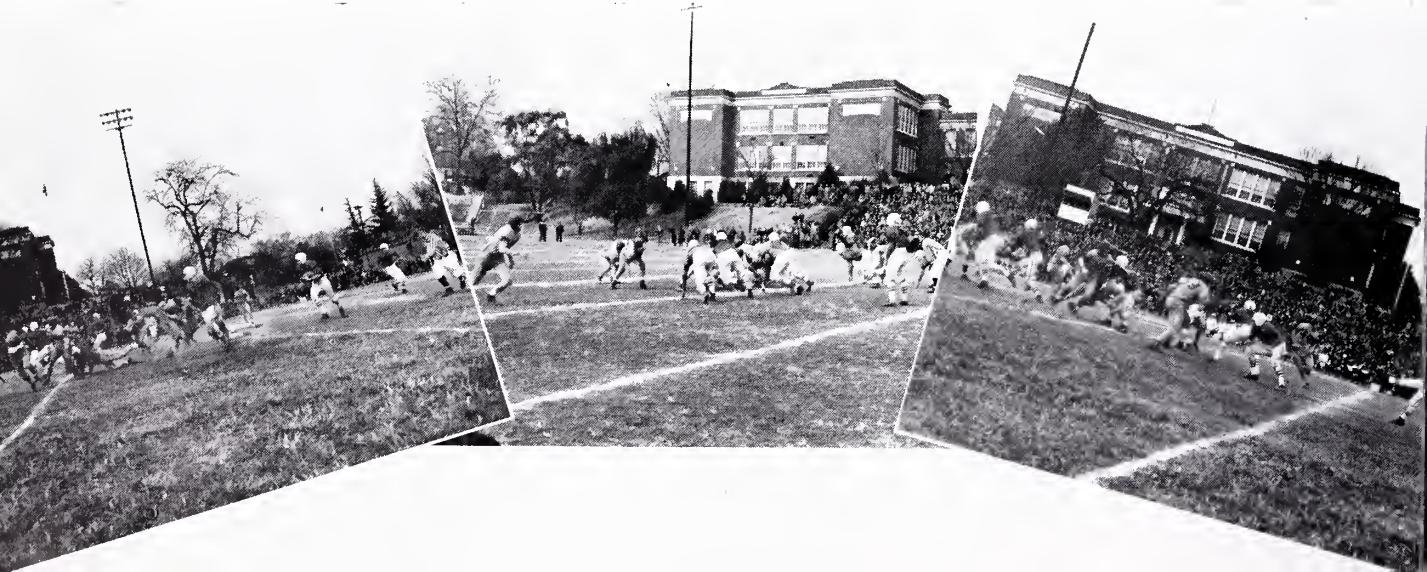
*Second row:* John Fenlon, Head Coach; Mack Sebastian, Tom Schuler, Jack Young, Edward Cann, Donald Alexander, Jim Comfort, Assistant Coach.

*Third row:* Glenroy Haney, Charles Hearn, Billy Middleton, Stuart Gallant, Paul Johnson, Franklin Powell.

*Fourth row:* Ray Perry, Edwin Mitchell, Jerry Leonard, Clarence Mitchell, Donald Sullivan, Percy Poates.

*Fifth row:* Billy Shelton, William Whitby, Ralph Musselman, George Krolman, George Jones, Nelson Graves.

*Sixth row:* James Estes, Harry Fleming, Leroy Perry, Walter Stanley, Arthur Andrews, Bert O'Toole.





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## VARSITY

### *1949 Football Scores*

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J. M.	31	Falls Church	0
J. M.	13	Randolph Macon Academy	7
J. M.	0	Glen Allen	27
J. M.	0	Suffolk	0
J. M.	51	Manassas	6
J. M.	27	Culpeper	0
J. M.	12	Charlotte Hall	7
J. M.	12	Lane	6
J. M.	20	Highland Springs	12
J. M.	25	Falmouth	6

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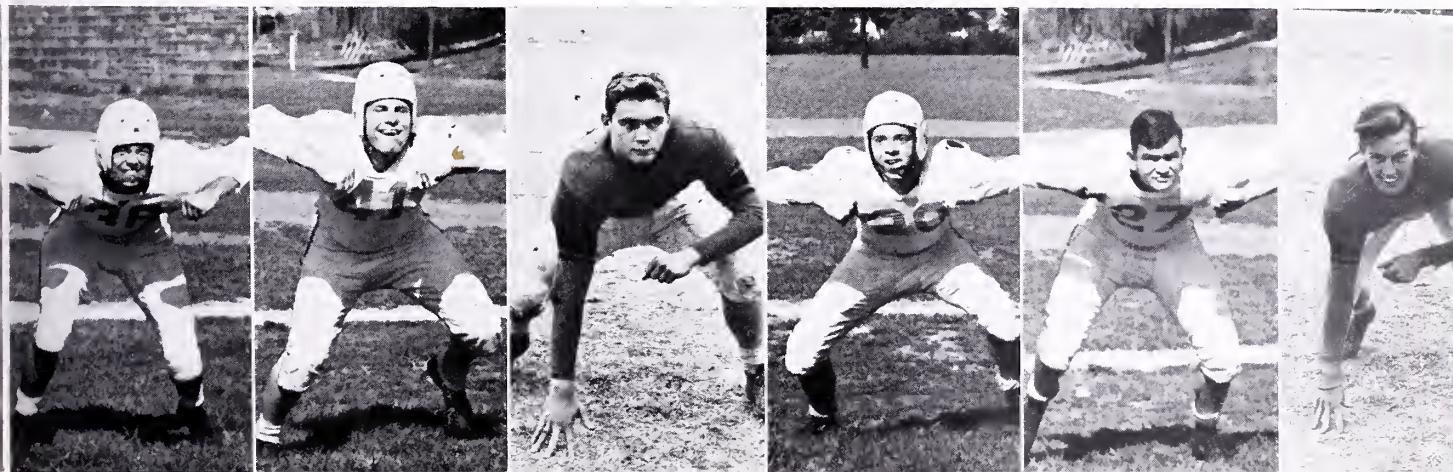
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## VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

*Left to right:* Tommy Reed, Bobby June Anderson, Jane Owens, Pat Middleton, Patsy Wilhour, Betty Jane Thompson.



## JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

*Left to right:* Nancy Wilkerson, Marian Holman, Leavelle Billingsley, Shirley Oliver, Carol Kesel.



## JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

*First row, left to right:* Jim Comfort, Coach; Frank Wheeler, Ronnie Smith, Louis Graninger, Arthur Brown, Kenneth Day, Bobby Taylor.

*Second row:* Wesley Hall, Douglas Pulliam, Wilson Embrey, Charles Carter, Earl Kendall, Bobby Bullock, John Hall.

*Third row:* Earl Hollibaugh, Kenneth Brooks, Kenneth Harding, Richard Cloe, Donald Estes, Carrol Wimmer.

*Fourth row:* Charles Leonard, Jerry Bird, Ford Davis, Taylor Turner.



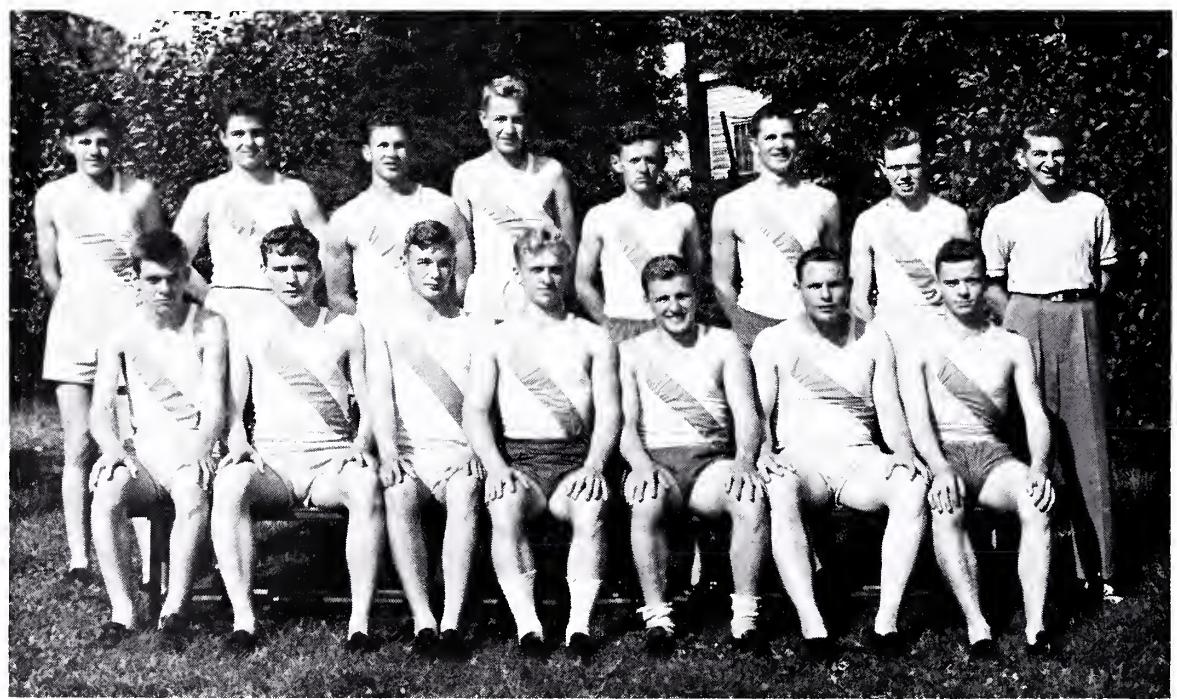


## VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

*First row:* Franklin Powell, Donnie Alexander.

*Second row:* Coach Jim Comfort, Ray Perry, Leroy Perry, Glenroy Haney, Edwin Mitchell and Nelson Graves, Manager.

*Third row:* Stuart Gallant, Charles Young, Bert O'Toole, Paul Johnson, George Jones.



## 1949 TRACK TEAM

*First row, left to right:* Joe Heffernan, Edward Cann, George Benson, Billy Layton, Billy Middleton, Donald Alexander, Tom Schuler.

*Second row:* Kenneth Brooks, Mac Willis, Jimmy Estes, Richard Keith, Ford Davis, Charles Hearn, Charles Young, Billy Doumas, Manager.



### GIRLS BASKETBALL

*First row:* Pat Middleton and Frances Jenkins, Co-Captains.

*Second row:* Barbara Bullock, Audrey Fines, Christine Powell, Peggy Sullivan, Dora Toombs, Shirley Clarke.

*Third row:* Pat Wilhour, Manager; Barbara Hicks, Frances Myers, Susie Berry, Fern Saunders, Ruby Pipkin, Sidney Loving, Sue Straughn, Mrs. Barbara Trainum, Coach.



### VARSITY BASEBALL

*First row, left to right:* Paul Johnson, Stuart Gallant, George Jones, Buddy Sweeney, Charles Aldridge.

*Second row:* Nicky Johnson, Lee Pritchett, Teddy Jones, Robert Hilldrup, Carlton Onderdonk, Walter Wholey, Coach.

*Third row:* Marvin Shelton, Manager; Mack Sebastian, Ray Donald, Charles Harding, Robert Thurston, Edwin Mitchell.



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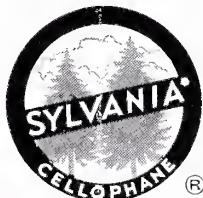
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